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ABSTRACT:

A method and apparatus for autofocus on a target layer contained within a microplate well is provided. The instrument is capable of optically sensing a reference point on the underside of a microplate (55). This reference point is then used to focus light (11) onto a target layer within the microplate well, the target layer having a location that is in defined relation to the reference point. The reference point is either a surface (53) of the bottom of the microplate well or is an optically detectable mark (154) on the underside of the microplate (55). In an alternate embodiment, a light position sensitive detector (140) is used to enable deterministic autofocus for a plurality of wells on a microplate (55).

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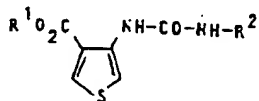
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(54) Thiophen-carbonester, Verfahren zu ihrer Herstellung und ihre Verwendung zur Bekämpfung unerwünschten Pflanzenwuchses.

(57) Die Erfindung betrifft Thiophen-carbonester der Formel



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R<sup>1</sup> Wasserstoff, Alkyl, Alkenyl, Alkynyl, Halogenalkyl, Alkoxyalkyl, Alkylthioalkyl, Cycloalkyl, gegebenenfalls substituiertes Phenyl oder Benzyl und

R<sup>2</sup> Alkyl, Alkenyl, Alkynyl, gegebenenfalls substituiertes Phenylalkyl, Halogenalkyl, Alkoxyalkyl, Alkylthioalkyl, Alkylaminoalkyl, Dialkylaminoalkyl, Cycloalkyl oder gegebenenfalls substituiertes Phenyl bedeuten,

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reaction of 4-amino-thiophene-3- carboxylic acid ester(s) with isocyanate(s)

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Cpds. of formula (I) are new. In (I) R1=H, 1-10C alkyl, 2-10C alkenyl, 2-10C alkynyl, 1-10C haloalkyl, 2-10C alkoxyalkyl, 2-10C alkylthioalkyl, 3-7C cycloalkyl, phenyl(opt. substd) by or benzyl (opt. substd.); R2=1-10C alkyl, 2-10C alkenyl, 2-10C alkyl, 8-10C phenylalkyl, 1-10C haloalkyl, 2-10C alkoxyalkyl, 2-10C alkylthioalkyl, 3-7C cycloalkyl, phenyl (opt. substd.) or benzyl (opt. substd.).

USE - As selective herbicides in a wide range of crop plants. Application may be pre- or post-emergence and is generally at a rate of 0.1-5 kg/ha or more, pref. 0.5-3 kg/ha.

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1-(1-Methyl-4-oxo-2-imidazolyl)-3-thienyl-urea derivs. - useful as anxiolytics of low toxicity without muscle relaxing and sedating effects

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Urea derivs. of formula (I) and isocyanatothiophene derivs. of formula (II) are new: (R is 2-thienyl, 3-thienyl or 5-halo-3-thienyl; R1 is H or halogen).

(I) are pharmaceuticals esp. useful as anxiolytics of very low toxicity. (I) have a very selective anxiolytic effect without possessing the muscle

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